

Spectral Gamma-Ray Borehole Log Data Report

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Log Event A

Borehole 21-09-12

Borehole Information

Farm: \underline{BX} Tank: $\underline{BX-109}$ Site Number: $\underline{299-\underline{E33-231}}$

N-Coord : 45,645 **W-Coord** : $\underline{53,452}$ **TOC** Elevation : $\underline{653.70}$

Water Level, ft : Date Drilled : 10/31/1973

Casing Record

Type: Steel-welded Thickness: 0.280 ID, in.: 6

Top Depth, ft.: 0 Bottom Depth, ft.: 100

Borehole Notes:

Borehole 21-09-12 was drilled in October 1973 to a depth of 100 ft with 6-in. casing. The casing thickness is presumed to be 0.280 in., on the basis of the published thickness for schedule-40, 6-in. steel tubing. A driller's log was not available for this borehole, so data from Chamness and Merz (1993) were used to provide borehole construction information. Although no information concerning grouting or perforations was available, it is assumed that the borehole was not grouted or perforated since this was not a routine practice during the early 1970s drilling campaign. The top of the casing, which is the zero reference for the SGLS, is about 0.5 ft below the ground surface.

Equipment Information

 Logging System :
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 Detector Type :
 HPGe
 Detector Efficiency:
 35.0 %

 Calibration Date :
 04/1997
 Calibration Reference :
 GJO-HAN-13
 Logging Procedure : P-GJPO-1783

Log Run Information

Log Run Number: 1 Log Run Date: 06/06/1997 Logging Engineer: Bob Spatz

Start Depth, ft.: 0.0 Counting Time, sec : 100

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Log Run Number: 2 Log Run Date: 06/09/1997 Logging Engineer: Bob Spatz

Start Depth, ft.: $\underline{97.5}$ Counting Time, sec.: $\underline{100}$ L/R: \underline{L} Shield: \underline{N} Finish Depth, ft.: $\underline{43.5}$ MSA Interval, ft.: $\underline{0.5}$ Log Speed, ft/min.: \underline{n}/a

 Log Run Number :
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 Log Run Date :
 06/10/1997
 Logging Engineer:
 Bob Spatz

Start Depth, ft.: $\underline{44.5}$ Counting Time, sec.: $\underline{100}$ L/R: \underline{L} Shield: \underline{N} Finish Depth, ft.: $\underline{27.0}$ MSA Interval, ft.: $\underline{0.5}$ Log Speed, ft/min.: $\underline{n/a}$



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Analysis Information

Analyst: A.W. Pearson

Data Processing Reference : MAC-VZCP 1.7.9 Analysis Date : 12/01/1997

Analysis Notes :

This borehole was logged by the SGLS in three log runs. The pre-survey and post-survey field verification spectra for all logging runs met the acceptance criteria established for peak shape and system efficiency. The energy calibration and peak-shape calibration from the accepted calibration spectrum that most closely matched the field data were used to establish the peak resolution and channel-to-energy parameters used in processing the spectra acquired during the logging operation.

Casing correction factors for a 0.280-in.-thick steel casing were applied during analysis.

The man-made radionuclide Cs-137 was detected in this borehole. The Cs-137 contamination was detected nearly continuously from the ground surface to a depth of 36 ft.

An analysis of the shape factors associated with applicable segments of the spectra was performed. The shape factors provide insights into the distribution of the Cs-137 contamination and into the nature of zones of elevated total count gamma-ray activity not attributable to gamma-emitting radionuclides.

The K-40 concentration values increase sharply from 39.5 to 41.5 ft and gradually decrease from 42 to 55 ft. The K-40 concentrations increase again at 55.5 ft and remain elevated to the bottom of the logged interval (97.5 ft).

Additional information and interpretations of log data are included in the main body of the Tank Summary Data Report for tank BX-109.

Log Plot Notes:

Separate log plots show the man-made and the naturally occurring radionuclides. The natural radionuclides can be used for lithology interpretations. The headings of the plots identify the specific gamma rays used to calculate the concentrations. Uncertainty bars on the plots show the statistical uncertainties for the measurements as 95-percent confidence intervals. Open circles on the plots give the MDL. The MDL of a radionuclide represents the lowest concentration at which positive identification of a gamma-ray peak is statistically defensible.

A combination plot includes the man-made and natural radionuclides, the total gamma derived from the spectral data, and the Tank Farms gross gamma log. The gross gamma plot displays the latest available digital data. No attempt has been made to adjust the depths of the gross gamma logs to coincide with the SGLS data.

A plot of the spectrum shape factors is included. The plots are used as an interpretive tool to help determine the radial distribution of man-made contaminants around the borehole.